

IN THE CLAIMS

1. (currently amended) An electrical contact comprising a body with a top surface, a bottom surface, and side edges, said body including ~~a retention finger~~ opposing retention fingers formed integral with said body, each of said retention fingers adapted to secure said body to a single surface of an insulative carrier when said pair of retention fingers are inserted through the carrier.

2. (original) The electrical contact according to Claim 1 further comprising a wire retainer joined to said body, said wire retainer configured to receive a wire.

3. (original) The electrical connector according to Claim 1 further comprising a mating portion joined to said body.

4. (currently amended) The electrical connector according to Claim 3 wherein said ~~main~~ mating portion is a faston type mating portion.

5. (currently amended) The electrical connector according to Claim 1 wherein said retention finger comprises ~~a lance~~ opposing lances extending perpendicular to a surface of said carrier.

6. (currently amended) The electrical connector according to Claim 1 wherein ~~said body further comprising a pair of retention fingers formed integral with said body~~ said carrier includes a first surface, a second surface and first and second holes extending therebetween, each of said holes receiving a respective one of said opposing retention fingers.

7. (currently amended) The electrical connector according to Claim 1 wherein said retention fingers ~~is~~ are stamped from said body and bent ~~substantially perpendicular to said bottom~~ to engage said single surface of said carrier.

8. (currently amended) The electrical connector according to Claim 1 wherein ~~said carrier has at least one hole from a first surface to a second surface, said retention fingers extends through said at least one hole to engage said second surface of said carrier~~ are configured in a staple-like manner.

9. (currently amended) The electrical connector according to Claim 8 ~~wherein only a distal portion of said retention finger is bent to engage said second surface of said carrier~~ 1 wherein said retention fingers are arcuate.

10. (currently amended) The electrical connector according to Claim 1 wherein said retention fingers ~~extends from at least one side edge of said body, said retention finger~~ are bent to engage said second single surface of said carrier after being inserted through said carrier.

11. (currently amended) An electrical connector comprising at least one contact having a body with a top surface, a bottom surface, and side edges, said body including at least a pair of lances formed integral with said body, said lances configured to secure said body to ~~said~~ an insulative carrier, said carrier including a first surface and a second surface, said bottom surface of said body provided on said first surface of said carrier;

wherein said lances are crimped in a staple like manner to said second surface.

12. (original) The electrical connector according to Claim 11 further comprising a wire retainer joined to said body, said wire retainer configured to receive a wire.

13. (original) The electrical connector according to Claim 11 further comprising a mating portion joined to said body.

14. (cancelled).

15. (original) The electrical connector according to claim 11, wherein said lances are stamped from said body in faced relation with each other, said lances are bent substantially perpendicular to said bottom surface

16. (currently amended) The electrical connector according to ~~Claim 14~~ Claim 11 wherein said carrier has at least a pair of holes from said first surface to said second surface, each of said lances extend through one of said holes to engage said second surface of said carrier.

17. (cancelled)

18. (currently amended) The electrical connector according to ~~Claim 14~~ Claim 11 wherein said lances extend from said side edges of said body, said lances are bent to engage said second surface.

19. (cancelled)

20. (original) The electrical connector according to Claim 11 wherein said lances are triangularly shaped.